Manning & Napier, Inc. Form 8-K October 29, 2014

### **UNITED STATES**

### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington D.C. 20549

### FORM 8-K

## **CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d)

of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): October 29, 2014

# MANNING & NAPIER, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction

**001-35355** (Commission

45-2609100 (I.R.S. Employer

of incorporation)

File Number)

**Identification Number**)

290 Woodcliff Drive, Fairport, New York 14450

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(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

(585) 325-6880

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

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- "Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

### Item 8.01. Other Events.

On October 29, 2014, the Board of Directors of Manning & Napier, Inc. (the Company) declared a quarterly dividend of \$0.16 per share of Class A common stock, payable to holders of record as of January 15, 2015 (the Record Date). The dividend will be paid on or about February 2, 2015.

Additionally, the Company s Board declared a special cash dividend in the amount of \$0.08 per share of Class A common stock, payable to holders of record as of the Record Date. The special dividend will also be payable on or about February 2, 2015.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

## **Exhibit**

## **Number** Description of Exhibit

99 Press Release issued by Manning & Napier, Inc. on October 29, 2014.

# **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Manning & Napier, Inc.

Date: October 29, 2014 By: /s/ Patrick Cunningham

Name: Patrick Cunningham
Title: Chief Executive Officer